

OBITUARY NOTES.

John S. Hyde, aged fifty, for twelve years president and sole owner of the Bath (Me.) Iron Works, is dead in St. Augustine, Fla.

Having lived at No. 11 Washington Square North since she was four years old, Mrs. Anna Sufferin Taylor, widow of Edward N. Taylor, died there yesterday at the age of eighty-six. Her father, Thomas Sufferin, was one of the first prominent men of his time to build a residence in that section.

Leo J. Solomon, thirty-seven years old, associated with his brother, William J. Solomon, in the publication of the Hebrew Standard, is dead at the German Hospital.

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NEW FOOD BILL INDORSED BY HOUSEWIVES' ASSOCIATION PROTECTS CITIZENS' PURSE

Wicks Committee and Commissioner Dillon Agree on a Measure.

BLOW TO MIDDLEMAN

Provides for Certain City Regulation and a Food Commission of Three.

By Sophie Irene Loeb.

The new food legislation to be substituted for the Wicks Bill, as outlined in these columns, the main features of which have been drafted in co-operation with the Housewives' Protective Association of the Evening World, is now in the hands of the printers and will be presented to-morrow at the hearing in Albany.

John J. Dillon last week took the matter up with the Wicks Legislative Committee in Albany, as previously arranged, and an agreement was reached which will include the substitute measure as well as the most important elements presented by the Wicks committee.

The Housewives' Protective Association will be represented to-morrow at the hearing when the passage of this joint measure will be strongly urged in the interests of reducing the high cost of living. The entire tone of the new proposition is immediate activity in eliminating the artificial middleman and in standardizing the common necessities of life by municipal operation in the sales of foods.

A special section is devoted to the subject of milk. An effort will be made to establish milk depots by which this much needed food will be sold through municipal authorities—enough to control the price to the consumer. Also it will be made possible for the new commission, to be appointed by this law, to ascertain accurately the costs of production and handling of food stuffs, with a view to regulating reasonable prices to be charged.

It will have power to investigate the milk industry, toward securing reasonable rates for milk, just as the Public Service Commission has in a similar power the investigation of public utilities such as gas and electricity.

The former Wicks bill made provision for five commissioners. The present measure designates but three two of whom are at present at the head of existing State departments—the Agricultural Department and the Food and Market Department.

The third commissioner as suggested is a Commissioner of Finance, who will have charge of expenditures of the new commission. The commissioners shall be appointed by the Governor for a term of three years.

EPITOME OF NEW BILL SHOWS STRONG POINTS.

In this way it is believed that expense will be reduced in the management of the new commission. Some of the measures already agreed upon by Commissioner Dillon and the Wicks committee are the following:

Requiring periodical reports from cold storage warehouses setting forth the holdings of food products there, and in addition making necessary rules and regulations governing the storage of food products.

Requiring reports from persons, firms and corporations buying food products for the purpose of holding or storing them for future sale.

Assisting in the location and establishment of local markets; also to establish assembling, grading and packing warehouses and cold storage warehouses, or combinations of them, whenever it is determined that public necessity or the welfare of the community so requires.

Requiring transportation companies and others engaged in transporting food products to report to the commission shipments, movements and arrivals of such products at terminals.

Prohibiting the manufacture or sale of fraudulent foods by the use of coloring matter or other means to deceive the consumer or purchaser of food for human or animal consumption.

Investigating delays in transportation, damage to farm products in transit and freight charges, and initiating proper proceedings to prevent restraint of trade, or unlawful combinations to fix prices.

Negotiating sales of farm products anywhere within the State on behalf of farmers, farm organizations or farm co-operative associations.

Establishing terminal, dock and other distributing facilities for the packing, distribution and sale of food at the centers of production.

Investigation and furnishing information as to land tenancies, with a view to promoting the interests of both land owner and tenant.

Investigating the conduct and methods of exchanges and boardings, or such organizations within the State, for the purchase and sale of food.

Co-operating with local health departments and departments of markets in preventing the production, manufacture, sale or offering for sale of fraudulent, deleterious or unwholesome food.

PROTECTING THE PEOPLE IN FOOD DISTRIBUTION.

Co-operating with producers in the conduct of experiments in the production, assembling, grading, distribution and sale of food products, to demonstrate economic and efficient methods and to standardize the grades and determine the cost thereof.

Effecting the most direct and economic distribution of farm products from the producer to the consumer, and particularly to the retailer or consumer, and to devise facilities for such direct sale and delivery through co-operative and otherwise.

Receiving and selling farm produce at any terminal yard, dock or place where transportation companies or municipalities establish produce markets, for the sale of similar farm produce, and to conduct such sales in such terminal yard, dock, place or market at private sale or at auction sale.

Effecting at all times the most direct and economic distribution of farm products from the producer to the consumer, and particularly to the retailer or consumer, and to devise facilities for such direct sale and delivery through co-operative and otherwise.

U. S. ASKS CHILDREN TO CUT FOOD COST BY HOME GARDENS

Back Yard Culture Would Add \$750,000,000 to Yearly Supply.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Within the last few weeks the Government of the United States has inaugurated campaigns to reduce the cost of living to the American people. The food riots in New York were followed in Washington by the formulation of definite programmes by the Department of Agriculture and the Department of the Interior for the production of more of the necessities of life on the waste lands of the towns and cities of the country.

In every State in the Union, aided by Federal experts, people are planning to utilize back lots for gardens to be worked by school children and others this spring and next summer.

Secretary Houston of the Department of Agriculture has had garden experts prepare a series of statements for the public giving instructions as to the growing of vegetables and fruits. Secretary Lane, through the Bureau of Education, has made an appeal to the school teachers throughout the Nation to organize their pupils into food producers.

"In the schools of the cities, towns, suburban communities and manufacturing and mining villages of the United States," said P. H. Claxton, Director of the Bureau of Education, "there are approximately 6,000,000 boys and girls between the ages of nine and sixteen."

"They are in school less than 1,600 hours in the year, and allowing ten hours for sleep, are out of school more than 4,000 waking hours, more than an average nine hours a day, not counting Sundays."

"National and State laws make it impossible for most of them to do any productive work in mill, mine or shop, and many of them are forming habits of idleness and falling into vice. They must be fed and clothed. For 4,000,000 of these children there is access to back yards, side yards, front yards and vacant lots which might be cultivated as small gardens."

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Enclose 2-cent stamp and membership token will be mailed.

for the growth of vegetables and fruits."

Mr. Claxton has tested his plan for reducing the cost of living. He has found that profitable results can be had.

"Properly directed," said he, "school children and men and women might easily produce on available land an average of \$75 each in vegetables and fruits for their own tables, or for sale in their immediate neighborhoods. This would add \$750,000,000 to the food supply of the country."

Without cost of transportation or storage, and without profit of middlemen, this estimate is very conservative, as has been shown by many experiments.

Secretary Lane thinks that these results can be attained by placing over every hundred children between the ages of nine and sixteen one teacher skilled in gardening and paid for all the year round.

Through Mr. Claxton, the Interior Department will try to put into operation this plan for the reduction of

the high cost of living. Public officials here are much interested, as it has been tried out on a small scale and worked well.

Through the boys' and girls' rural clubs, under the direction of the Department of Agriculture, Secretary Houston will aid the backyard-garden movement.

Doctor Tells How to Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent in One Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weakness? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of the wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it, "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. I can now read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says, "The atmosphere seemed dark with tears without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seemed clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that the same who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and much needed more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses.

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27 by 54 inches; regularly up to \$6.25... at \$3.95	6 by 9 feet; regularly up to \$45.25, \$34.50	9 by 12 feet; regularly up to \$75.00, \$49.50
36x63 ins.; regu- 5.75, 7.50	8 1/4 by 10 1/2 ft.; regularly up to \$66.50, \$44.50	10 1/2 by 12 feet; regularly up to \$65.00, \$45.00

Heavy Reversible Wool Smyrna Rugs, 9x12 ft., two and three tone effects, at \$22.50

In the March Sale of Dinnerware

AMERICAN PORCELAIN SETS

107 pcs., cluster of rosebuds and three gold lines; formerly \$22.00 at \$19.00

ENGLISH PORCELAIN SETS

107 pcs., wide flow blue border; open stock pattern; formerly \$29 at \$22.00

107 pieces, choice of five border designs; regly. \$32.00 to 39.50, at \$27.00 to 34.00

LIMOGES CHINA SETS

107 pcs., new designs in colored border patterns and coin gold handles; formerly \$40 and \$44, at \$35.00 and 38.50

107 pcs., enrusted acid gold border, coin gold handles and knobs; formerly \$125.00, at \$100.00

Upholstery

A Most Unusual Sale To-morrow

WILL comprise limited quantities of Upholstery Fabrics, Lace Curtains, Prints, Portieres and Covers, especially interesting at this home furnishing time.

GROUP I.

Several Thousand Remnants of Tapestry, Velvet, Armure, etc.; 1 to 3 yards in length.

GROUP II.

Several Thousand Remnants of White and Colored Curtain Material, Fancy Silks, Cretonnes, etc.

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Floor and Table Electric Lamps

Very substantial reductions have been made during the March Sale, as the following items indicate:

FLOOR LAMPS

Of Black Lacquer with 22 inch Mandarin silk shade; formerly sold at \$33.00, now \$22.50

Of Mahogany, 24 inch fancy silk shade, lined with cretonne; formerly sold at \$17.00, now \$12.50

TABLE LAMPS

Of Black Lacquer with flat Empire shade of fancy Japanese silk Special at \$12.00

Mahogany Boudoir Lamps in several styles, with 10 inch silk shade; formerly sold at \$5.25, now \$3.75

Special Reductions in Furniture

To stimulate early purchasing of Spring refurnishing requirements for both town and country homes, these worth while economies will be available To-morrow:

Living Room Suite, 2 pcs; in velour and cane, formerly \$190.00, at \$150.00	Dining Room Suite, 10 pc; in mahogany, Charles II. design; formerly \$346.00, \$245.00	Dining Room Suite, 10 pc; in walnut, Queen Anne design; formerly \$431.00, \$343.00
Davenport, in velour, formerly \$140.00, at \$100.00	Chaise Longue, in cane, mahogany frame; reg. \$33 \$25.00	French Gray Bedroom Suite, 4 pcs; reg. \$265.00 \$180.00
Wing Chairs, in tapestry, mahogany frame; reg. \$30 \$20.00	Odd Ivory Bureaus, formerly \$72 and \$95, at \$45, \$70	Odd Wooden Bedsteads, ivory; reg. \$38.50 & \$45, 16.50, \$25

Odd Pieces of Bedroom, Dining Room and Living Room Furniture at Large Reductions



Bedroom Suite, 5 pcs; in mahogany and walnut, with Twin Beds; formerly \$257, \$198.00

Mahogany Dining Room Suite, 10 pcs.; Queen Anne design; formerly \$326.00, at \$235.00

A Famous Song Writer

L. Wolfe Gilbert, who has been famous as a writer of popular songs ever since his "Waiting for the Robert E. Lee" sweet the country, has written a new patriotic song especially for The Sunday World, "Let the Flag Fly." It is suggested by The World's slogan, "The title of this new song, which will be published complete in the Magazine Section of The World next Sunday.—Advt.



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